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This Reply Brief is submitted pursuant to the Examiner's Answer mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 22, 2004.

Contrary to statements made in the Examiner's Answer, Appellant's Brief on Appeal does contain a statement identifying the related appeals and interferences. Page 2 of the Brief includes a section entitled "Related Appeals and Interferences." As stated in that section, the Appellant, the undersigned Attorney, and the Assignee are unaware of any related appeals or interferences which will directly affect, be directly affected by, or have a bearing on the Board's decision in the pending appeal.

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